



CLINICAL NURSE LEADER SUMMIT
January
San Diego, CA

Conference Highlights

The **2010 CNL® Summit**, *The CNL: On the Leading Edge of Healthcare Reform*, is presented by the American Association of Colleges of Nursing in partnership with the Department of Veterans Affairs Office of Nursing Services. This year's theme emphasizes healthcare reform and the CNL role. The conference provides a forum for all healthcare and academic audiences currently implementing or interested in exploring the CNL role. Conference topics include the impact and value of the CNL role on improving patient outcomes, implementing and sustaining the CNL role across diverse systems of care, the CNL role in quality and safety initiatives, innovations in education, healthcare reform and its implications for CNL practice, and the complementary relationship between the CNL and other members of the healthcare team, including nurse managers, APRNs, and physicians. In addition to plenary sessions, concurrent, abstract, and poster presentations allow participants to choose topics of interest in a smaller forum. Special forums for the CNLA membership, CNL faculty, and Nursing/Healthcare Executives are also offered.

General Information

Registration

Employees of the Veterans Affairs Administration click here to register online:
<https://vaww.trace.lrn.va.gov/registration/Default.asp?CourseID=3828>

Non-Veterans Affairs Employees click here to register online:
<https://www.aacn.nche.edu/Registration/registration.asp>

Registration information for Non-Veterans Affairs Employees:

The registration fee for the CNL Summit is \$399. The registration fee for members of the Clinical Nurse Leader Association (CNLA) is \$369. The registration fee for CNL students is \$329. The deadline for early registration is **January 8, 2010**.

The registration fee after January 8, 2010 is \$469.

This meeting follows the Regional Meeting on the Master's Essentials, January 20-21, 2010, at the Town and Country Resort. Information on the Master's Essential meetings can be found by visiting the following Web site: www.aacn.nche.edu/regionalmeetings.htm.

Hotel Information

A block of rooms has been reserved at Town and Country Resort & Convention Center, 500 Hotel Circle North, San Diego, CA 92108. Hotel reservations can be made by visiting the following Web site: <https://resweb.passkey.com/go/CNLSummit2010>, or by calling (800) 772-8527 or (619) 291-7131. The special room rate is \$119 single/ \$129 double. To make reservations, please call the hotel directly and request the group rate for the American Association of Colleges of Nursing or AACN. The cutoff date for reservations at the group rate is **Tuesday, December 29, 2009**. For more information about the hotel, visit <http://www.towncountry.com/>.

Transportation

A one-way cab trip to the hotel from the San Diego International Airport will cost approximately \$23. A shuttle service is provided by Express Shuttle for \$11.

Refund and Cancellation Policy

Registrations that are cancelled up to one week before the meeting will be refunded minus a \$50 administrative fee. Cancellations received with less than one week's notice will be refunded minus a \$150 administrative fee. There will be no refunds for no-shows.

AACN reserves the right to cancel this conference and any group activity that does not meet minimal group requirements. Non-refundable airline tickets are the responsibility of the registrant.

Additional Information

For more information, contact AACN, One Dupont Circle, Suite 530, Washington, DC 20036; (202) 463-6930. If you require any special access in order to take part in this meeting, please contact Horacio Oliveira at AACN or by email at holiveir@aacn.nche.edu.